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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re application of:

Bernard Malfroy-Camine, *et al.*

Application No.: 09/029,686

Filed: March 3, 1998

For: SYNTHETIC CATALYTIC FREE  
RADICAL SCAVENGERS USEFUL AS  
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PETITION TO EXTEND TIME

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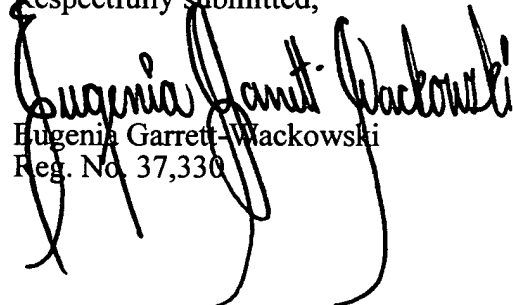
Sir:

Applicants petition the Assistant Commissioner of Patents to extend the time for response to the Office Action dated March 29, 1999 for three months, from June 29, 1999 to September 29, 1999. An appropriate response in the form of a CPA transmittal is enclosed herewith.

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